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SIR:

Contingent upon a final determination of the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks not to grant the Applicants' June 10, 1993 Petition For Withdrawal Of Holding Of Abandonment, the Applicants hereby petition to have the above-identified application revived under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) as amended by the Notice of November 5, 1990 (1121 O.G. 6). The aboveidentified application was held to be abandoned in a paper from the Patent and Trademark Office dated February 25, 1993, for failure to file an oath or declaration within 32 months of the claimed priority date, 15 January 1990.

This Contingent Petition is being filed within one year of the date the application became abandoned.

> I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on

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Signature

As evidenced by the Applicants' acts of filing what was believed to be a sufficient oath or declaration on September 9, 1992, as well as their June 10, 1993 Petition For Withdrawal Of Holding Of Abandonment, the abandonment of the above-identified application was unintentional.

Enclosed with this Conditional Petition is a new declaration identifying the above-identified application by serial no. (including series no.), filing date, and title. It is the Applicants' understanding that this declaration is a complete response to the requirement for a declaration if the prior declaration is finally found to be insufficient.

If the Applicants' June 10, 1993 Petition For Withdrawal Of Holding Of Abandonment is finally denied, please charge all fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted, KENYON & KENYON

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